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DIRECTOR OFFICE TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2600

In re Application of

Seng-Wook SIM et al.

Application No. 09/531,657

Filed: March 20, 2000

DECISION ON REQUEST TO WITHDRAW FROM RECORD

For: METHOD OF PROCESSING USER

INFORMATION INPUTTED THROUGH TOUCH SCREEN PANEL OF DIGITAL MOBILE STATION

This is a decision on the petition, filed March 2, 2005, to withdraw the above-identified application from issue pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.313(a).

The petition is **Dismissed as Moot** for the reason stated below.

A review of the application file reveals that a Notice of Allowance was mailed for the above-identified application on December 2, 2004. Subsequently, a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) was filed concurrently with the instant petition and a preliminary amendment on March 2, 2005. Since applicant timely submitted a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) **prior** to payment of the issue fee, a petition to withdraw from issue under 37 CFR 1.313(a) is unnecessary.

The application will be forwarded to Technology Center 2600 Technical Support Staff for processing the RCE. From there, the application will be forwarded to the examiner for consideration in appropriate turn.

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